

### THE CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

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#### RESOLUTION

#### ESTABLISHING THE

DAVID T. CHASE FREE ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE at

Eastern Connecticut State University

April 12, 1985

WHEREAS, The Board appointed David T. Chase an honorary professor at Eastern Connecticut State University on April 8, 1983, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chase has served with distinction and dedication under the Distinguished Visiting Executive Program at Eastern Connecticut State University, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Chase heartily endorses the concept of free enterprise and has pledged his support to a free enterprise institute at Eastern Connecticut State University, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the David T. Chase Free Enterprise Institute is hereby established at Eastern Connecticut State University as a center for lectures, seminars, workshops, student research projects, and other activities focused on enterprise and entrepreneurship in the economy.

A Certified True Copy:

James A. Frost

President

# THE DAVID T. CHASE FREE ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE

The David T. Chase Free Enterprise Institute at Eastern Connecticut State University serves the interests of the business community and the entire State of Connecticut.

The Institute is dedicated to the advancement of the American free enterprise system — the proven principle that the capitalist system can provide for a profitable business environment. In American business and industry there are still frontiers to be explored. There are still opportunities for small businesses to become financial empires. Indeed, David T. Chase built such an empire.

David T. Chase, a Polish immigrant who arrived in the United States at the age of 15, is the founder and Chief Executive Officer of Chase Enterprises in Hartford, Connecticut. His company is a rapidly expanding conglomerate that spans the entire nation with interests in banking, real estate, commercial development, energy, manufacturing, and communications. His vision, determination, and civic awareness have made him one of our nation's most respected and successful business leaders.

The steadfastness with which he has pursued his goal and the success which has crowned his efforts make it appropriate that the Free Enterprise Institute bear his name.



DAVID T. CHASE

### SERVICES

The Free Enterprise Institute serves the business community and the State of Connecticut through a cooperative partnership which promotes an understanding of the American system of capitalism and its role within our society. The Institute is ready to serve Connecticut's business community in a variety of ways.

## Internships

In conjunction with Eastern's Department of Economics and Management Sciences, the Institute places upperclass students in well-structured ork experiences

related to their academic and career interests and to a corporation's professional needs. Successful internships have been established with CPA firms, commercial banks and financial concerns, manufacturing and personnel-related companies, and other organizations in the public and private sectors of the economy.

### Seminars

In conjunction with the School of Continuing Education, the Institute sponsors professional seminars and certification programs for the business community onsite or at the University.

# **Distinguished Visiting Professor**

The Institute supports the Distinguished Visiting Executive Professor program, through which business leaders are appointed to the faculty to provide specially arranged classroom lectures, colloquia, and workshops for the entire academic and professional community.

## Library Service

The Institute has acquired reference, statistical, and topical periodicals, in addition to complete sets of Small Business Administration and American Free Enterprise Institute publications. Members of the academic and business communities are invited to use the collection in the J. Eugene Smith Library of Eastern Connecticut State Universit

# **Guest Lecture Series**

The Institute sponsors a series of public lectures on economic and business-related issues. These programs are intended to serve the interests of all citizens of the State.

# **Annual Essay Award**

All high school students in the State are invited to participate in the annual David T. Chase Scholarship Award Program. Submitted essays are reviewed by a distinguished panel.

# **Professional Publication Activity**

The Institute publishes a newsletter and occasional monographs covering economic conditions and business-related issues. All activities of the David T. Chase Free Enterprise Institute promote an awareness, understanding, and appreciation of the American Free Enterprise System.

For additional information regarding the Institute, contact:

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